THE

SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

Monday, *March* 24*th*, 1746 [*Numb* 626]

Saturday laſt the General Aſſembly of this Province adjourned to the *ſecond Tueſday* in *May* next. Before the Adjournment Colonel ALEXANDER VANDER DUSSEN had the Thanks of both Houſes for his ſervices in *Great Britain*.

The Thanks of the *Upper Houſe* were delivered by the Preſident, in the following Manner, *viz.*

Colonel VANDER DUSSEN,

SIR,

I HAVE the agreeable Charge committed to me by this Houſe, to give you their Thanks, for your particular Services to this Province, in ſoliciting the Repreſentation of the Lieutenant Governor and Council, and alſo the humble Petition of the Council and Aſſembly to his Majeſty for his gracious Aid and Aſſiſtance for the further Defence and Security of it; and in contributing to the Succeſs which hath at length followed that Petition, by his Majeſty's having granted the *Three Independent Companies pray'd for*.

The unwearied Application which you made in its Behalf, the unbiaſs'd Attachment which you ſhew'd to the Reputation and true Intereſt of this Province, by ſteddily adhering to the obtaining a Grant of thoſe Troops according to our true Intent and Meaning with ſo much Honour and Reſolution, during the Space of near *Three* Years, *whilſt every Art was practiſed to divert, or fruſtrate your honeſt and laudable Endeavours*; theſe Things, I ſay, ought to endear you forever to the Inhabitants of this Province. And it muſt be a peculiar Satisfaction to the Generous and the Grateful, that his Majeſty hath been pleaſed *to confer the principal Command* in thoſe Companies, under his Governour here for the Time being, *upon You*, SIR, whoſe Conduct and Courage are ſuch as have heretofore merited the Thanks of both Houſes of Aſſembly.

According to the Orders which I have received, I do now give you the Thanks of this Houſe, for your Services in *Great Britain*, in the Solicitation of the Petition to his Majeſty for his gracious Aid and Aſſiſtance to this Province.

In the Commons Houſe of Aſſembly the 21*ſt of* March, 1745.

RESOLVED, (*Nemine Contradicente*)

THAT *Mr Speaker* do give the Thanks of this Houſe to Colonel ALEXANDER VANDER DUSSEN, for his Services in obtaining the *Three* Independent Companies.

Which *Mr. Speaker* accordingly did as followeth, *viz.*

Colonel VANDER DUSSEN,

I HAVE the Honour, *Sir*, once more to be commanded to give you the Thanks of this Houſe, for the Services which you have lately done this Province in *Great Britain*; and I congratulate my Country upon the Succeſs which has attended your Solicitations for the *Three Independent Companies*, during the Courſe of which you had an Opportunity (which you have well improv'd) of ſhewing the Reaſonableneſs, the Advantage, and Neceſſity of their being granted in the Manner they were pray'd for, in ſo ſtrong a Light, that his Majeſty, induced by the Juſtice of our Petition, was graciouſly pleaſed to grant that Aſſiſtance accordingly, which by that Means is a greater Acceſſion of Strength, and is the more to the Satisfaction of the good People of this Province.

Sir, Your indefatigable Diligence, and unwearied Attendance in the Delays that generally are occaſioned during the Time which is ſpent in conſidering the Expediency of granting what is pray'd for; your ſteady Attachment to the Honour and Juſtice of the Province, in ſuffering no Suſpections to divert, no Difficulties to deter you from purſuing the Ends you had undertaken, deſerve our moſt grateful Acknowledgement and Remembrance.

And I hope, *Sir*, I ſhall not be thought to exceed the Bounds of my preſent Commiſſion, if, judging by your *paſt* Behaviour, I may venture to foretell, that you will ſhew as much Courage and Readineſs in ſharing any Dangers with theſe Troops in the Defence of this Province, as you have Zeal and Diligence to obtain them.

It now only remains, that I execute the Commands which I have received. I therefore accordingly return you the Thanks of this Houſe, for the Services you have done this Province in *Great Britain*.

ORDERED, That the ſame be publiſhed in the *Gazette*.

By Order of the Houſe,

Childsmas Croſs, C.D.C.

LONDON, *December* 3.

ON Saturday Evening arrived Diſpatches from the Rt. Hon the Earl of *Loudon*, and the Right Hon. *Duncan Forbes*, Lord Preſident of the Seſſion, dated the 14th of *November*, by which we hear the agreeable News, that Lord *Loudon*'s Regiment is compleated, and that the Lord Preſident has 12 Independent Companies of 100 Men each, joined with 300 Volunteers of *Murchiſon*'s Clans, and 400 of Sir *Alexander MacDonald*'s; ſo they have an Army of 3000 good Men, which are directly to march to *Perthſhire* to quell the Outrages committed by Lord *Lewis Gordon*, and any other in Favour of the *Pretender*.

We hear his Grace the Duke of *Argyle* is raiſing 4000 Men, who are to aſſemble at *Dumbarton Caſtle*, and cover the Country from *Lochlomond* to *Stirling*, to prevent any Retreat of the *Rebels*, or any that may be marching to join them.

The Citizens of *Glaſgow* are arm'd, to the Number of 1500; and the like ſpirit prevails all over the Low Country of *Scotland*.

Letter from Leghorn, *Nov* 22 *N.S.*

"Laſt Night anchor'd in this Road the *Bedford*, *Eſſex*, *Leopard*, *Newſuch*, and *Feverſham*, with Four Bomb Ketches from *Boſtia*, which they have almoſt reduc'd to a Heap of Rubbiſh; the *Corſicans* are in Arms, and, by what Capt. *Townſhend* tells me, they muſt ſoon be in Poſſeſſion of the ſmall Remains of that Capital. It was firſt ſummoned to ſurrender to the King of *Sardinia*; but upon the Governor's Refuſal to ſubmit, was bombarded the 17th and 18th, and took Fire in ſeveral Places. — Marquis *Rivola* was at the Head of the Malecontents, and acts openly in Favour of the King of *Sardinia*. There are two Men of War to give him any Aſſiſtance he may want; if he is active, and plays his Cards right, he may make a compleat Conqueſt of the Iſland. — It is an unexpected Stroke to the *Genoeſe*, and will occaſion great Diſcontent amongſt their Nobility, eſpecially thoſe who oppoſed the Steps the Republick took; and the Loſs of the Iſland will be felt by the Nobility, who have great Eſtates there."

Whitehall, *Dec.* 5. Letters from *Edinburgh* of the 30th paſt and 1ſt Inſtant mention, that the *Rebels* at *Montroſe* had got Poſſeſſion of his Majeſty's Snow the *Hazard*, and impriſon'd Capt. *Hill* and his Crew: That with the Cannon taken out of the ſaid Snow, and thoſe of a *French* Ship, they had erected Batteries at the Mouth of that Harbour: That there was alſo an Ac-

Count

count of the Landing of 800 *Irish* and *Scotch*, with Lord *Ellis Drummond*, in six Transports from *Dunkirk*, at *Montrose*, *Stone Haven*, and *Peterhead*: That the *Rebels* in and near *Perth*, by this Reinforcement, were 3000 strong; and that having Advice that they intended to force a Passage near *Stirling*, Lieutenant General *Handasyde* had thereupon order'd a considerable Force to march thither in order to oppose them.

London, Dec 5. Last Night *Charles Kinnaird*, Esq; was committed to Prison by his Majesty's Solicitor, for holding a treasonable Correspondence with the *Highlanders* at *Carlisle*

Also *Walter Scot*, Servant to Sir *James Johnstone* of *Westerhall*, on the same Account.

Dec. 7. It is said that there are no less than 40 Persons, guilty of Treasonable Practices, now in Custody of his Majesty's Messengers.

Dec. 10. We hear from *Midhurst* in *Sussex*, that the *Papists* are so numerous there, that they can't get Men to assist in the Association carrying on in Defence of his Majesty's Person and Government, the Tradesmen being afraid they shall be turn'd out of their Business; and from *Steyning* in that Neighbourhood, that the few *Protestants* there, dare not, openly, wish well to his Majesty's Arms against the *Rebels*; and that a constant Intercourse is carried on between the good *Catholicks* of that Place, and the little Town in *Hants* near *Sussex*, Horsemen having been observ'd to go through the Streets of the City of *Chichester* for many Nights past, between the Hours of eleven and two.

We are well assured, that the famous Mr. *Kely* is one of the Prisoners lately taken on board the *Soleil* Privateer, and now confined in the *Tower*.

Yesterday Morning died in an advanced Age, after a long Indisposition, at his House in *Marsham street Westminster*, Colonel *Cecil*, who served in the Wars during the Reigns of King *William* and Queen *Anne*. He was some time since sent to the *Tower* on suspicion of holding a treasonable Correspondence abroad; but was afterwards admitted to Bail.

Extract of a Letter from a Master of a Ship at Scarborough, *to a Gentleman at* Newcastle

'Four Thousand Men work Night and Day at the Castle and 'Town Fortifications, and we shall mount, besides those be'longing to the Castle, 400 Ship Guns; and if the *Rebels* do us 'the Favour of a Visit, we shall speak *broad Yorkshire* to them; 'and as our Ships are laid up, our Sailors to the Number of 5 'or 6000 are so complaisant as to stay to give them Welcome.'

The Lords of the Admiralty have appointed the Honourable Capt. *Edward Legge* to be Commander of the *Royal Sovereign* a First Rate Man of War, of 100 Guns, now at the Nore.

Dec. 12. We hear the Trial of Admiral *Matthews*, will come on To-morrow before the Court Martial at *Deptford*.

By Letters from *Paris* of the 29th Inst. they write, that the Prince *de Conti* arrived there Yesterday from the *Rhine*. The same Day the Duke *Fitz-James* set out for *Dunkirk*, in order to embark with his Regiment for *England* or *Scotland*. It is reckoned here that the *Pretender*'s eldest Son may get into *Wales* with his Army before the *English* Generals can stop his March; in which Case he may receive Succours from both this Kingdom and *Spain*; and they seem to flatter themselves at Court, that tho' he should never be able to master *England*, he may keep his Ground in *Scotland* or *Wales*, and so cut out so much Work for the *English*, that they will have no Leisure to meddle with Foreign Affairs.

We hear that a great many Strangers, who have lately taken Lodgings about *London* for an uncertain Time, under various Pretences, are going to move again of a sudden; which makes it conjectur'd that they have met with some Disappointment in the Business they came upon.

Extract of a Letter from on board His Majesty's Ship the Royal Sovereign *at the Nore, dated* Dec. 10th.

'A Squadron of Ships and small Vessels being ordered to sail 'To morrow, under the Command of Commodore *Smith*, to 'guard the Coast against the Invasion talk'd of from *France*, in 'Favour of a Popish Pretender, Yesterday and this Day came 'on board the *Royal Sovereign*, 180 Voluntier Lieutenants, and '300 young Gentlemen Voluntiers, to serve in the said Expe'dition: This you may depend on for Truth; and that there 'never appear'd at any Time such Eagerness and Vigour in all 'Ranks of Men in our Service, to shew the Inclinations they 'have to defend our Liberty and Religion under our present 'happy Constitution, every one being fill'd with the highest Re'sentment against those perfidious Villains that have disturbed 'the Peace, and laid Part of our dear Country waste, and com'mitted such unheard of Cruelties in it, as could have been 'encouraged by none but the Unchristian Mahometan Papists, 'and the *French* King, the inveterate Enemies to the Liberty 'of *Europe*. We all hope in the Courage and Conduct of Duke '*William*, and will do our Endeavours, if any should escape 'his vigorous Arm by Flight, to prevent their escaping to our 'old Enemy the *French* King. We have mann'd near Twenty 'small Vessels, and, I think, we shall work their *French* Jackets for them.'

Dec. 14. Last Wednesday Evening 35 armed Vessels sail'd from the Nore to cruize along the Coasts for the *French* Transports.

The Embarkation carried on at *Dunkirk*, will consist of 12,000 Soldiers, and 'tis generally believed, they embark'd on board 30 Sail of Merchant Ships as Transports, and the rest in large Fishing-Boats, and were to be convoyed by three *French* Men of War of 50, 40, and 26 Guns and as the Wind has been ever since very fair to bring them over to our Coast.

'Tis conjectur'd they are so well acquainted with the Strength of the Squadrons we have now at Sea under the Command of Admiral *Vernon*, and the Commodores *Rosewen* and *Smith*, (either of which is sufficient to destroy them should they attempt to Land on our Coast) that they wait for a more favourable Opportunity.

We hear that Signals are so placed on the *Sussex Kentish* and *Essex* Coast, by hoisting Flags in the Day and firing Guns in the Night, that Notice of an Invasion would be at the *Tower* and at *St. James's* in a few Hours.

We hear Admiral *Anson* will set out next Monday for *Portsmouth* to take the Command of a Squadron fitting out there, which consists of nine Ships of the Line of Battle, besides Frigates, Bomb Ketches, and Fireships, *&c.*

Yesterday came an Account, that a *French* Ship, bound to *Scotland*, with 60 Pieces of Cannon on board, had, by Stress of Weather, been obliged to put into *Dublin*, where she was seiz'd; but all the Men, except three, made their Escapes.

CHARLES-TOWN, March 24.

At a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize and General Goal Delivery, begun to be holden on the 19th Instant, the following Persons were tried, *viz.*

Richard Clancey, indicted for the Murder of *Alexander McMan*, convicted of Manslaughter.

Catherine Lasselle, indicted for Felony, convicted of Petty Larceny.

And *Theophilus Wilmott*, indicted for a Libel, was found guilty.

Yesterday came Advice, by Way of *Providence*, that a large and very rich *Spanish* Register Ship had been sent into *St Kitts*, by a 60-Gun Ship, supposed to be one of Admiral *Townshend*'s Squadron.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *CHARLES-TOWN*,

Entered Inwards.

Brigt. Lydia, Valentine Lullan, from Madeira.

Entered Outwards.

Snow John, George Watson, for Cowes.
Snow Hector, James Rodgers, for London.
Schooner Breeze, James Jordan, for Rhode Island.

Clear'd for Departure.

Ship Judith, Ralph Arscott, to Portugal.
Schooner St. Joseph, William Roberts, to Providence.
Schooner Sarah, Isaac Colcock, to Jamaica.
Sloop Royal Ranger, Thomas Young, to Barbados.
Sloop Jane, Charles Basden, to St. Kitts.
Sloop Elizabeth, Samuel Holoms, to St. Eustatia.

EXPORTED from this Place, since the 1st of *November* 1745

Rice, 26,475 Barrels. Pitch, 5164 Barrels. Tar, 376 Barrels. Turpentine, 964 Barrels Deer Skins, 179 Hogsheads Corn & Pease, 43,030 Bushels. Beef & Pork, 2454 Barrels.

PRICE of Goods of this Country Produce.

Rice,	10 *lb.* 0 *d. per* 100 *wt.*	Corn,	7 *s.* 6 *d. per Bushel.*
Pitch,	30 *lb.* 0 *d. per Barrel.*	Pease,	7 *s.* 6 *d. per Ditto.*
Tar,	25 *lb.* 0 *d. per Barrel.*	Staves,	15 *l. per Thousand.*
Turpentine,	10 *s.* 0 *d. Ditto*	Turp. Oyl,	12 *s.* 6 *per Gallon.*
Skins,	16 *lb* 0 *d. per Pound.*	Rezin,	10 *s.* 0 *d per* 100 *wt.*

Advertiſements.

Juſt Publiſhed,

And to be ſold by the Printer hereof,

FULL and uſeful INSTRUCTIONS and OBSERVATIONS concerning the Culture and Manufacturing of

INDIGO:

Written originally in *French*, by a Perſon of great Experience in thoſe Works at *St. Domingo*, and now publiſhed in *Engliſh* for the general Benefit of the Planting Intereſt in this Province.

ALL Perſons indebted to *Reid* and *Ogilvie*, or the ſubſcriber, are deſired to ſettle their Accompts with him on or before the Fifth Day of *May* next; there being a Neceſſity for ſettling the Affairs of that Co-partnerſhip

Patrick Reid

N.B. He has ſome Goods on Hand, which he intends to ſell off cheap.

GOOD *Barbados* Rum, muſcovado and loaf Sugar, old Brandy, Clarret at 20 and 25 *s.* per Gallon, and 4 *l* 10 and 6 *l.* per Dozen, white Wine at 9 *l* 10, other ſweet Wines, and ſundry other Goods to be ſold in Mr *Richard Richardſon's* Cellar in *Broad ſtreet* by *John Trifoundes*

Whoſe Houſe in *Unity Alley* is to be let.

WHEREAS Mrs. *Mary Marion* and *James Marion* lately advertiſed the Plantation in *Goſe Creek*, in order to ſell and diſpoſe of the ſame. This is therefore to acquaint the Publick, that neither of the above Perſons have Power to diſpoſe of the ſaid Plantation, it being the Property of *John Marion*

Benjamin Marion

ALL Perſons any wiſe indebted to the Eſtate of *Doct. Benjamin Hall*, late of *Charleſtown*, deceaſed, are deſired punctually to diſcharge the ſame by the firſt of *May* next, or depend on being immediately ſued. Thoſe to whom the ſaid Eſtate is indebted, are likewiſe deſired to bring in their Accompts properly atteſted to *William Maclure*, Executor.

LOST out of the Subſcriber's Pocket, on the 18th Day of *March*, between Mr. *Iſaac Peronneau's* in *Goſe Creek* and Mr *Edward Haſſey's*, a Leather Pocket Book tied up with a piece of Tape, in which was a Sattin Purſe containing 11 Dollars and 4 double Piſtoles, one 20 *l* Bill, and three 10 *l.* Bills of different Emiſſions, alſo a Bond taken up from Meſſrs. *Simmons* and *Smith* of *Alcinus Gaillard*, with ſome Bills of Parcels, &c. Whoever brings the ſame to the Printer hereof, or to Mr. *Iſaac Peronneau* above mentioned, ſhall have 20 *l* Reward

John Lewis.

TO BE SOLD by the Subſcriber, a Tract of Land in *Craven* County, on the South Side of *Santee River*, containing 200 Acres, exceeding good for Rice, Corn and high Land very good to plant Indigo. Likewiſe a Tract of Land in *Berkley* County, on the N.W. Side and joining *Wando River*, lying between Lands belonging to *Peter Allſton* and *Deborah Miſher*, containing 50 Acres, well ſtored with Firewood for Sale and good ſawing Timber, and but 14 Miles from *Charles Town*. Any Perſon deſirous to purchaſe either or both the ſaid Tracts, may treat with me *Waccamaw* *Thomas Threadcraft.*

At a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal Delivery, begun and holden at Charles Town, *the 19th of* March, 1745 6.

THE Perſons whoſe Names are hereunder mentioned, having been duely ſummoned and returned to ſerve as Jurors at the ſaid Court, made Default, *to wit*, WILLIAM HOPTON, THOMAS TATNALL, and WILLIAM BROWN, Grand Jurors, fineable at *Ten Pounds Proclamation Money* each, JOSEPH HURST, WILLIAM STEADS, JOHN CRAWFORD, and FRANCIS PERRET, Petit-Jurors, fineable at *Five Pounds Proclamation Money*, unleſs they and each of them can ſhew good and ſufficient Excuſe, upon Oath, why the ſaid Fines ſhould not be reſpectively levied at the ſaid Court, on the Monday next before the Court of *Common Pleas* to be holden on the *ſecond Tueſday* in *May* next, purſuant to the Directions of the Act of the General Aſſembly in that Caſe made and provided.

JAMES WEDDERBURN,
Clerk of the Crown and Peace.

TO BE SOLD at publick Vendue, on the firſt Day of *April* next, at the Plantation of *William Ferguſon* deceaſed, on *Wadmelaw* Iſland, a choice parcel of Slaves, amongſt which are a very good Cooper and Houſe Wench, Horſes, Cattle and Houſhold Goods, for one Year's Credit, with Intereſt and Security. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Eſtate are deſired to diſcharge the ſame by the 10th Day of the ſame Month, on Failure whereof they will be ſued without further Notice. And thoſe to whom the ſaid Eſtate is indebted, are deſired to bring their Accompts properly atteſted, that Meaſures may be taken to diſcharge the ſame

STRAY'D from my Plantation near *Parker's*-Ferry, a Bay Horſe about 13 Hands and an half high, branded on the mounting Shoulder 3C, and a Star like a Half Moon, & on the off Shoulder ſomething like W. Whoever brings him to me or to Mr. *Thomas Holmes* in *Charleſtown*, ſhall have 5 *l* Reward.

Robert Mc Kendy

TO BE SOLD, a Tract of Land at *Combahee* containing 225 Acres of unclear'd Land, very good for Rice and Corn. Alſo, a Plantation in *Goſe Creek*, containing 200 Acres, a great part thereof very good Indigo Land, and about 30 Acres conveniently damm'd, with a good Dwelling Houſe, Barn and Out Houſes thereon, and is about 4 Miles from *Dorcheſter*. Likewiſe a Town Lot in *Dorcheſter*. Whoever has a mind to purchaſe the Premiſſes or either of them, may treat with me at *Enoch Hill*

Richard Spencer.

STOLEN or ſtray'd from *Trott's* Point in *Charles Town*, the 5th of *June* laſt, a dark Bay natural pacing Stallion, about 4 Years old, 13 Hands and an half high, with black Legs and Main, and big ſwitch Tail, branded on the mounting Buttock *EF* bred in *North Carolina*. And at the ſame Time, a ſmall black Mare, branded on the right Shoulder *IOI* with a ſtar in her Forehead, ſuppoſed to be with Colt; ſhe is well known in *Charles Town*, having long belonged to *John Steel* or *John Pitches*. Whoever brings any of the above Creatures to the ſubſcriber in *Charles Town*, ſhall have 5 *l* Reward and all reaſonable Charges, paid by *David Brown*

MR. *LAKE's* Sale is put off 'till further Notice

A large Quantity of choice Bricks, to be ſold by Mr. *Daniel Wellington* in *Charles Town*.

ALL thoſe that are any Ways indebted to the Eſtate of *Robert Corſan* deceaſed, are deſired to pay the ſame to the Subſcriber at Mr. *Rattray's* Office, on or before the 15th of *April* next, otherwiſe they will be ſued without further Notice, there being a Neceſſity to have the Affairs of that Eſtate ſettled ſoon.

James Grindlay

JUST IMPORTED in the Brigt. *Chatfield-Jolliffe*, *William Reid* Maſter, and to be ſold at the Store where Capt. *Olive* lately lived on *Elliot's* Wharff, milk Pans, butter Pots, large and ſmall Grindſtones, fine Salt, painted Boxes in Deſks, Lampblack, Linſeed Oyl in Casks, ſtrip'd and check'd Linnens, Oznaburgs, 7 8th Garlix, Cordage of all ſorts, ſhort and long Pipes, Cheeſe, Oakum, Caſes of all ſorts, and ſundry other Things, by *Jacob Wittewood.*

To be ſold by *John Linning* in *Broad-ſtreet*, Citron Water at 6 *l. per Gallon.* Cinamon Water at 5 *l.* Orange Water at 40 *s* Aniſeed Water at 40 *s* Fine Uſquebaugh at 8 *l.* Spirit of Wine at 3 *l.* 10 *s.* And Bitters at 40 *ſh. per Quart.*

ALL Perſons who have any Demands upon the Eſtate of *Benjamin Clifford* deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their Accompts properly atteſted by the 20th Inſtant *March*, that they may be ſettled and adjuſted by the Adminiſtratrix.

Sarah Clifford.

A Perſon wants 3, 4, or 500 Pounds, for which he is willing to mortgage a ſufficient Number of valuable Negroes. Enquire of the Printer.

BROUGHT *to the Work-Houſe in* Charles Town. A run away Negro Fellow, belonging to Mr. *William Hurſt. March* 19th, 1745 6.